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In re Application of: Sarah METCALFE et al. )  
Application No.: 10/014,789 ) Group Art Unit: 2161  
Filing Date: December 14, 2001 ) Examiner: Unknown  
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ENABLING )  
COLLABORATIVE PROCUREMENT OF )  
PRODUCTS IN A SUPPLY CHAIN )

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

This is in response to the Notice to Filing Missing Parts, dated January 8, 2002 in the above-identified application. Also enclosed with this Response is a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time for the prescribed petition fee of \$920.00 as designated under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(3).

1. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

Enclosed.

This application was filed without an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

2. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to **Manugistics, Inc.** and a PTO Form-1595, Recordation Form Cover Sheet, are enclosed.

An assignment will be filed at a later date.



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$480.
  - \$396 for 22 total claims over 20.
  - \$84 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1350.

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